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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2. Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Travis B. Ribar on July 02, 2008.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claim 3 has been cancelled.

Claim 41, line 2, numeral "30" have been changed to the numeral -- 40 --.

Claim 72 have been cancelled.

- 3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: Claims are deemed allowable because art of record does not teach or suggest claimed glass laminate made using a crosslinked plasticized polyvinyl acetal resin interlayer. The claimed interlayer has matrix of crosslinked plasticized polyvinyl acetal resin. The art of record teach crosslinked polyvinyl acetal resin particles dispersed in the matrix resin and not the crosslinked matrix resin as claimed.
- 4. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably

accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to D. S. Nakarani whose telephone number is (571) 272-1512. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Rena Dye can be reached on (571) 272-3186. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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